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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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Enclosed are:

- ☒ 22 pages of specification, claims, abstract.
- ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☒ Priority Claimed.
- ☒ Certified copy of Japanese Patent Application No. 9-282359
- ☒ 7 sheets of formal drawing.
- ☒ An assignment of the invention to International Business Machines Corporation and KRD Corporation  
and the assignment recordation fee.
- ☐ An associate power of attorney.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and reference.
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard
- ☒ Preliminary Amendment

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS		EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	AMOUNT
Total Claims	8	-20	0	\$22.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims	4	-3	1	\$82.00	\$82.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s)					\$0.00
Basic Fee					\$790.00
Total of Above Calculations					\$872.00
Less ½ for Small Entity					\$0.00
Assignment & Recording Fee					\$40.00
Total Fee					\$912.00

